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Bob’s specialty is transportation economics and transportation impact studies – of airports, ports, rail systems and highways.

He has conducted airport economic impact studies of about 1,000 airports, ranging in size from LAX and Greater Pittsburgh to the smallest of runway general aviation airports.

At the national level, Bob managed a series of studies entitled “The Economic Impact of Civil Aviation on the U.S. Economy.” The first of these was conducted for the Partnership for Improved Air Travel, Herb Kelleher, Chairman. The most recent was conducted for the FAA and was completed just two weeks ago.

This morning Bob will present the results of the most recent civil aviation economic impact study.

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